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Eighth. Every employer of labor shall provide portable sanitary toilets and require the use of the same by employees doing work at a distance from their permanent camps or dwellings, and at any place within 1,000 feet of Green River or any of the lakes, springs, or streams tributary thereto.

Ninth. No trespasser upon land not his own within said watershed shall camp or hunt upon such lands or fish in the waters of Green River or of any lake or stream tributary thereto, where they run or lie within such land.

Tenth. No unauthorized person shall remove or destroy any notice or sign posted in said watershed by the health officer of the city of Tacoma, or by his order in aid of preventing the pollution of the waters of said Green River.

SEC. 2. Every person convicted of the violation of any provision of this ordinance may be fined in a sum not exceeding \$100, or imprisoned in the city jail not exceeding 30 days or may be both fined and imprisoned, as the case may warrant.

Communicable Diseases—Notification of Cases—Disinfection—Quarantine. (Ord. 5245, Mar. 5, 1913.)

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of every physician, every householder, every owner or occupant of any house, store, hotel, boarding house, stable, or any building, and any tenant in any building, wherein any person has diphtheria, smallpox, varioloid, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough, chicken pox, cerebrospinal meningitis, typhoid fever, or any other contagious or dangerous disease or diseases, to give immediate notice of the same to the health officer in person or by writing, particularly describing the place where such contagious disease exists. And whenever knowledge shall come to the health officer of the existence of any of the foregoing contagious diseases, it shall be his duty forthwith, when safe and practicable, if in his judgment the necessity of the case requires it, to cause such infected person to be removed to the city hospital and there properly provided for and taken care of. When, however it is unsafe and impracticable to remove such person to the city hospital, it shall be his duty forthwith, at the expense of the house or place where such infected person or persons shall be, to give notice of the existence of such disease in such place by placing a green flag and a green card in case of diphtheria, with the word "Diphtheria" in large letters on said card; and a scarlet flag and a scarlet card in case of scarlet fever, with the words "Scarlet fever" in large letters on said card; and a yellow flag and a yellow card in case of smallpox or varioloid with the word "Smallpox" in large letters on said card; and in all other cases a white flag; where they may be seen by persons passing on the street near said premises. Said flags shall be 18 inches wide and 24 inches long, and said cards shall not be less than 5 inches wide and 14 inches long; and both said flags and said cards shall remain until such person shall have so far recovered that no danger of infection shall remain; and neither said cards nor flags shall be removed except by order of the health officer. There shall also be printed on all of said cards the following words: "This card shall not be removed except by order of the health officer."

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of any person or persons owning, running, operating or having charge of any hospital, private or public, to report immediately any death that may occur in said hospital, the cause of death and any other information about such deceased person as the health officer may deem requisite and necessary. Such report shall be made to the health officer, whose duty it shall be to investigate the matter; and upon the request of any person he may call together the board of health to investigate fully the cause of death, and in such case the city clerk shall make a record of all the proceedings therein.

SEC. 5. The board of health shall have power to order the quarantine of any house, and establish any necessary quarantine hospital; and shall have the power to direct the health officer to provide medical attendance, medicines, and nursing to any person

sick with any contagious disease in any private residence or public house, when, in the opinion of such board of health, the public will be thereby better protected than by removing such sick person to the hospital.

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SEC. 7. The health officer shall cause all cases of Asiatic cholera or smallpox brought to his notice to be examined, and shall report the results of such examination to the board of health, and shall see that all persons violating this ordinance for the preservation of public health are duly prosecuted.

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SEC. 11. It shall be the duty of each and every practicing physician in this city to report in writing to the health officer the death of any of his or her patients who may have died in said city of contagious or infectious diseases within 24 hours thereafter, and to state in such report the specific name and type of such disease.

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SEC. 13. No person shall, without a permit from the health officer, carry or remove from one building to another within the city of Tacoma or from any vessel to the shore any person sick of any contagious disease, or the body of such person, or by any negligent act connected therewith, or in respect of the care or custody thereof, or by a needless exposure of himself cause or contribute to or promote the spread of disease from any such person or from any dead body.

SEC. 14. No person, master, captain, or conductor in charge of any boat, vessel, railroad car, or public conveyance shall knowingly bring into this city any person or persons diseased of cholera, smallpox, ship fever, or contagious or communicable disease whatsoever. No vessel, boat, railroad car, or public conveyance at any time covered by proclamation of quarantine shall pass by any quarantine station or place without stopping, nor shall leave the same without special permit from the health officer; and no person stopping in said quarantine or received therein shall leave the same without first receiving permission from the health officer or attending physicians; nor shall any person aid or abet any master, conductor, or person in charge of any boat, vessel, railroad car or public conveyance in violating, neglecting, or evading any provision or requirement of this ordinance; nor shall any person interfere with, resist, neglect, or refuse to obey the orders of any physician, health officer, police officer, or other person in authority at any quarantine station or place of quarantine; nor commit any breach of peace nor do any act calculated in any way to defeat or interfere with the provisions or requirements of this section, or of any regulations of the said health officer, physician, or officer in charge of any quarantine.

SEC. 15. No person from any house where any person is sick or afflicted with any of the diseases named or provided for in section 3 of this ordinance shall attend any school in this city until the recovery or death of said sick person; and said person must be provided with a certificate from the attending physician or the health officer certifying to their noncontagiousness, which statement must be presented to the principal or teacher of said school before said person will be allowed to return.

SEC. 16. It shall be the duty of all physicians upon discovery of any contagious or infectious disease to instruct the parents or guardians of any child or minor who may be residing at the infected premises of the provisions of the above section, and at once report such cases to the health officer. And it shall be the duty of any principal or teacher of any school in this city to report at once in writing any violation of the above section.

SEC. 17. The commissioner, manager, principal, or other proper head officer of each and every public or private institution in the city, keepers, lessees, tenants, and owners of hotels, boarding houses, lodging houses shall within six hours after the facts shall come to his or her or their knowledge notify the health officer in writing of the fact of any person lately from any steamboat or vessel being taken sick at any such house; and

shall, in such notice, state where such sick person may be found, from what vessel and when he came, to the best of the knowledge of the person or persons giving such notice.

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SEC. 22. Upon the death or convalescence of any person or persons affected or sick with any disease named or provided for in section 3 of this ordinance, the health officer shall at once cause the room or rooms used by, and those in the immediate vicinity of, said person or persons, together with the contents of said room or rooms, to be thoroughly disinfected, cleaned, fumigated, or whatever in his discretion may be deemed necessary in order to prevent a further spread of the disease, even in extreme cases to destroying said contents of said room. All this to be done at the expense of the owner when he or she is able, and when he or she is not, then at the expense of the city.

SEC. 23. No person or persons who have been affected or sick with any of the diseases named and provided for in section 3 of this ordinance, or who have been quarantined or isolated in any place within the jurisdiction of the city, shall be allowed to leave such place without the permission of the health officer.

SEC. 24. Upon the death of any person affected or sick with any disease named or provided for in section 3 of this ordinance the following regulations must be observed: The remains of said person must be thoroughly disinfected and exposed to the view of no one except those absolutely necessary in preparing the body for burial, and be placed in a hearse (but no other vehicle), which must not be accompanied by more than two vehicles, and shall be taken directly from the place of death to the place of burial within 24 hours.

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SEC. 30. It is hereby declared unlawful for any person to take the remains of anyone dead of any of the diseases named in section 3 of this ordinance into any church or public building for the purpose of holding funeral services over the remains of such person.

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SEC. 48. Whenever the health officer ascertains that there are on board any vessel infectious or contagious diseases liable to be communicated to the inhabitants of the city of Tacoma, he shall order a quarantine of said vessel and shall cause the same and all passengers thereon to be quarantined until it is safe for them to land; and he shall take such other steps in that regard as will effectually prevent any contagious or infectious disease from reaching the city of Tacoma through such sources.

Foodstuffs—Protection When Exposed for Sale. (Ord. 5514, Oct. 15, 1913.)

SECTION 1. Section 2 of ordinance No. 4913, entitled "An ordinance to establish and enforce compliance with sanitary regulations in all places in the city of Tacoma where food for human beings is manufactured, kept, prepared, or sold; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this ordinance, and to repeal ordinances Nos. 3610 and 4208," be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 2. All meat, game, fish, vegetables, fruit, prepared food products, and candies, exposed for sale in open receptacles or broken packages, shall be kept not less than 2 feet above the floor of the building, shop, booth, or place where they are so exposed and shall be protected in such manner as to prevent dust, flies, and insects from coming in contact with them. Cut fresh meats, fresh fish, and all fresh fruits (except citrus fruit, melons, bananas, and apples) exposed for sale shall be kept in properly ventilated cases or receptacles having glass tops. No food shall be exposed, offered, or displayed for sale in any manner in any street, alley, or public place, except in such places as have been designated as public markets and except from wagons from which foodstuffs are being peddled; and all food so peddled from wagons shall be covered so as to protect the same from flies and dust."